

## Message Text

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R 222241Z DEC 77  
FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PDEV, SU, US

SUBJECT: NATIONAL DAY MESSAGE

1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING TO PRESIDENT NIMEIRI AT  
APPROPRIATE TIME PRIOR TO JANUARY 1, 1978: QUOTE: DEAR  
MR. PRESIDENT: ON THE OCCASION OF THE CELEBRATION OF  
YOUR NATIONAL DAY THE AMERICAN PEOPLE JOIN ME IN EXTENDING  
TO YOU AND TO THE PEOPLE OF THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF  
SUDAN WARMEST CONGRATULATIONS AND BEST WISHES FOR THE  
NEW YEAR. I AM PLEASED WITH THE HIGH DEGREE OF MUTUALLY  
BENEFICIAL COOPERATION WE HAVE ENJOYED THE PAST YEAR,  
AND ANTICIPATE EVEN FURTHER IMPROVEMENT IN THE RELATIONS  
BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES IN THE COMING YEAR. SINCERELY,  
JIMMY CARTER. UNQUOTE.

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2. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN RELEASE BUT HAS NO OBJECTION  
TO RELEASE BY RECIPIENT. VANCE

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## Message Attributes

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